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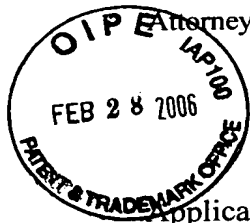
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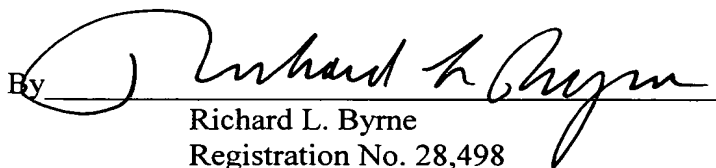
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This application is the United States national phase of PCT Application No. PCT/JP03/08077 filed June 26, 2003. Reference WO 97/26387 listed on Form PTO/SB/08A was cited in an International Search Report (ISR) dated October 7, 2003 for the underlying PCT application. Japanese Patent Application No.s 06-36702 and 02-228466, of which English-language abstracts are enclosed herewith, were cited in the Applicants' Specification on p. 3 and are relevant for reasons cited therein. Reference WO 97/26387 is the English-language version of Japanese Patent Application No. 2000-504472 also cited in the Applicants' Specification on p. 3. Pursuant to the Notification of Acceptance dated September 23, 2005, the ISR has already been received by the United States Patent Office, therefore a copy of the ISR is not submitted herewith.

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